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**THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM-
SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.**

FOR LOILO AND CEBU.
THE Company's Steamship
"ESMERALDA,"
Captain A. Ramsay, will be despatched as
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This Steamer has superior accommodation for
Passengers and is fitted with the Electric
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A doctor is carried.
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General Managers.
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THE EAST ASIATIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

**FOR MARSEILLES, HAVRE AND
COPENHAGEN, VIA BANGKOK.**
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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE Company's Steamship
"ALCINOUS,"
Captain Palfrey, will be despatched as above
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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
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**COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.**

NOTICE.
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exception of those consigned to the
Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon
Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at
Kowloon, whose delivery may be obtained
immediately after landing.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless
intimation is received from the Consignee
before Noon TO-MORROW, requesting it to
be landed here.
Goods of Lading will be countersigned by the
Undersigned, in both cases it will be
subject to rent and landing charges.
All Claims must be sent in to me on or
before 10th inst., or they will not be
recognized.
All Damaged Packages will be examined on
MONDAY, the 16th inst., at 3 p.m.
No Free Insurance has been effected.
G. DE CHAMPELAIN,
Agent.
Hongkong, 8th April, 1900. 112

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

THE WAR.

LONDON, 8th April, 4.10 p.m.

BRITISH AND BOER NUMBERS.

AT REDDENSBURG.

It is officially announced that the Boer

forces at Reddenburg amounted to 3,200

men and five guns, while the British had

187 mounted infantry and 424 other in-

fantry. Our casualties were 10 killed, 35

wounded, and 546 captured.

LORD METHUEN'S losses in his recent en-

gagement were one killed, ten wounded.

REUTERS SERVICE.

LONDON, 7th April.

ESCAPE OF BOER PRISONERS.

A determined attempt at escape has been

made by the Boer prisoners at Simonstown.

Fourteen succeeded in the attempt.

ENEMY IN NEIGHBOURHOOD OF

BLOEMFONTEIN.

Reuters correspondent at Bloemfontein wires

that parties of Boers have been seen in the

vicinity of the town.

ALICE MEMORIAL AND NETHER-

SOLE HOSPITALS.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial

and Nether Sole Hospitals has been

appointed Mr. J. H. M. de la Rive.

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HONGKONG BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

AUCTIONEERS, &c.

PAUL BREWITT,
Zetland Street, Auctioneer, Appraiser
and Commission Agent.

HUGHES & HUGHES,
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Street, and Praya Road.

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Dundell Street.

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Resident Accommodation, \$2.00 per day;
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Mechanics engaged. Estimates given.

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Dispensing Chemists, Wines, Spirits and
Cigars.

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Chemists and Druggists, High-class Aerated
Waters, Dealers in Photographic Re-
quisites, Queen's Road.

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panese Curios, 3, D'Almeida St., and at Ko-
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Fine Art, Japanese and Chinese Curios,
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China Porcelain, Crockery Ware, &c.,
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WONG HONG,
Surgeon Dentist, 50, Queen's Road Central.

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Surgeon Dentist, 24, Bank Buildings,
Opposite Hongkong Hotel.

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THE COSMOPOLITAN HOUSE,
Breakfast, Dinners, Suppers, etc.,
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Milliners, Silk, Moiré, Haberdashers
Low Prices, 37, 39, Wellington Street.

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WILLIAM WHITNEY, Manager.

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Every Household Requisites. Depot for
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THE MUTUAL STORES,
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Provision and General Merchants.

H. TIE,
Wine and Spirit Merchants, Groceries, Best
Goods, Lowest Rates. Try Chinese Ex-
ported Cream, 16, D'Almeida Street.

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Jewellers, Gold and Silverware, Watch-
makers, Japan Jewellery, and Clockwork
Furniture. Opposite Post Office, 36,
Queen's Road Central.

MAISON LEVY HERMANOS,
Diamond Merchants and Watchmakers, 46,
Watson's Building, Queen's Road. Also
at Shanghai, Manila, Paris and Rio.

SUN SHING, Established 1840.
Silks, Gaudes, Crois-Shawls, Chinaware,
Iron, and all Silverware, and Clockwork
Furniture, 90, Queen's Road Central.

WAR LOONG,
Gold and Silverware, Silk Dresses, Crois
Shawls, Iron, and all Silverware, and
Clockwork Furniture, 88, Queen's Road
Central.

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Estimates for every Description of Work.
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MOOSA E. VIEIRA & CO.,
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mission Agents.

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Enlargements, Ivory Miniatures, Oil
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rate Rates, 20, Queen's Road East.

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Japanese Photographer, 14, Beaufield
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Amateur Requisites a Specialty.

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WOO KEE, Late HANG CHEUNG SHING.
Rattan Chairs, Mattings, Bamboo Blinds,
etc., 73, Queen's Road Central.

KWONG TAI LOY,
Rattan Furniture, Bamboo Blinds, Mat-
tings all colours, 18, Praya Central.

SANG MOW,
Rattan Furniture, Bamboo, Screens, Mat-
tings all colours, 45, Queen's Road Cl.

SILK GOODS DEALERS

THUNAMU CEREALARIUM,
Dealer in Indian, Chinese, and Japanese
Silk and Fancy Goods, also Art Works,
2, D'Almeida Street.

THE GLOBE (TAMMUL PONSIR),
Indian, Chinese and Japanese Silk Goods,
Cashmere Shawls, Spanish Wines and
Manila Cigars, 12, D'Almeida Street.

SINCERE & CO.,
Silk Handkerchiefs, Shawls, Table Covers,
etc. Wholesale and Retail, 122, Wellington
Road Central and 123, Wellington St.

WASSIAMULL ASSOMULL,
Wholesale Importers and Exporters, India,
Chinese and Japanese Silks, Cashmere Shawls
and Ceylon Lace, 16, Queen's Road Cl.

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FR. BLUNCK,
Exporter of Real Hand-made Torchon Lace
in Silk, Linon and Cotton, Grasse, France,
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hai Bank.

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Navy Contractors, Shipchandlers, Sail-
makers, Provision and Coal Merchants,
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Tailors and Outfitters, Piano-forte Dealers

Shipchandlers, Furniture Dealers and
Upholsterers, Wine and Spirit Mer-
chants.

MC E & REIMUND,
Shipchandlers, Sailmakers, Riggers, Com-
mission Agents and General Storekeep-
ers, 17, Praya Central.

TAILORS

ARMEN, HING-CHEONG & CO.,
Tailors, Dressers and Outfitters. Queen's
Road Central, Old Club Site.
Branch: 4, MAN, opposite City Hall.

R. HOUGHTON & CO.,
Naval, Military and Court, 16, Queen's Road,
Opposite Kuhn's Curio Store.

HUNG YUEN,
Outfitters, Shirt Makers, Hatters, Hosi-
ers, Drapers, 8, Queen's Road Central.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.,
Queen's Road.

TAK CHEONG,
Tailors, Outfitters, Hatters, Hosi-
ers, Drapers, 8, Queen's Road Central,
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YUEN LEE.
Hongkong, 14th March, 1900.

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Village Life in China, by author of
"Chinese Characteristics" \$1.00
The Far East, by Henry Norman \$1.50
Common English Dictionary, by Dr.
Anastase, Edition 1900 \$2.25
Journal of Researches, by Darwin \$1.50
The Wonderful Century, by W. L. G. \$1.50
Transatlantic War Album, 12 Parts \$4.50
Yongoung's Memoirs, by H. J. \$1.50
Livingstone's Travels \$1.50
Metropolitan Editions, Spring Edition, 1900
Murrings in China, by Mrs. Archibald
Little \$1.50
Map of China, by Brunsden, Edition
1900 \$1.50
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A METAL SUPPORTED DOUBLE REPETITION ACTION.
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PUBLIC COMPANIES

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-
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Office of the Company, No. 2, Praya Central,
on THURSDAY, the 24th April, 1900, at 12
o'clock (Noon), when the subject of Resolu-
tion will be considered.

Should the Resolution be passed by the re-
quired majority, it will be submitted for
confirmation as a Special Resolution at a Special
Extraordinary General Meeting, which will be
subsequently convened.

"That the Capital of the Company be in-
creased from \$1,000,000 by the creation and issue of
50,000 New Shares of \$10 each fully paid up."

NOTE.—Shareholders on the Register on the 10th
April, 1900, will be entitled, upon
application made on or before the 31st
May, 1900, and upon payment of \$10 for
every Share applied for, to One New Share
for every Old Share standing in their respec-
tive names.

Should any Share be not applied for on or
before the 31st July, 1900, the General
Managers will deal with such Shares as
they may think fit.

Shareholders, for between the 31st
May and the 31st July, will be subject to
interest at \$12 per cent. per annum.

With reference to the foregoing notice, the
Register of Shares will be CLOSED from the
9th to 11th day of APRIL, 1900, both days
inclusive.

SHEWAN TOMES & CO.
General Managers
Hongkong, 2nd April, 1900.

THE TUNGSHI MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRD
ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of
SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company,
No. 2, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, the 14th
April, 1900, at Noon, for the purpose of
considering the Report of the Directors and the
Statement of Accounts for the 31st December,
1899, and for the election of Directors and
Auditors.

TRANSFERS of Shares of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 2nd to the 14th
April, 1900, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
W. H. GASKELL,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 27th March, 1900.

**THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON
WHAIR AND GODOWN
COMPANY, LIMITED.**
NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-
ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS
will be held at the Office of the Company,
No. 2, Praya Central, on WEDNESDAY,
the 15th April, 1900, at 12.15 o'clock in the
afternoon, when the subject of Resolu-
tion will be considered.

Should the said resolutions be passed by the
required majority they will be submitted for
confirmation as special resolutions to a second
Extraordinary Meeting, which will be subse-
quently convened.

1.—That the Capital of the Company be in-
creased from \$1,000,000 by the creation of
the creation of 10,000 new shares of \$50
each.

2.—That such new shares be issued at the
premium of \$25 per share and be allotted to
the Shareholders of the Company in the
proportion of one new share for every two
shares now held by them.

3.—That the amount due for the new shares
be called up as follows, viz: \$10 per share
for six months' dividend out of the
profits of the year 1900, and the remain-
ing \$15 per share on the 1st October
1900.

Dated the 29th of March, 1900.
By Order of the Board,
EDWARD OSBORNE,
Secretary.

**THE CHINA PROVIANT LOAN AND
MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.**
NOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND
INVESTMENT of \$5 per SHARE in
respect of the 10,000 New Shares has been called
up, and that the Shareholders who have not
already paid this in instalment are requested to
PAY the amount of such Call to the Under-
signed at the Office of the Company, No. 9,
Praya Central, on or before the 29th APRIL,
1900.

Dated, 27th March, 1900.
SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,
General Managers.

**HONGKONG INVESTMENT
AND MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.**
NOTICE is hereby given that at a Meeting
of the Board of Directors of the above
Company, held at the Registered Office of the
Company, Queen's Road Central, Victoria
Road, on the 29th day of March, 1900, the
following Resolutions were passed—

1.—That in pursuance of the provisions of
the Special Resolution passed at an Ex-
traordinary General Meeting of the Com-
pany held on the 7th and 8th March, 1900,
the sum of \$125,000 be withdrawn from the
Reserve Fund and be carried to the 2nd July
next to the Credit of Capital Account, each
Share being entitled to a sum of \$25 as paid
up thereon in addition to the sum of \$50
on standing in credit of each Share.

2.—That the balance of \$25 per Share of the
Unpaid Capital of the Company be called
up, and that a Call be and is hereby
made of \$25 per Share upon all the
Shares of the Company, and that the
Shareholders be requested to pay the same to
the Company's Bankers, the Hongkong and
Shanghai Banking Corporation, at their
premises, Queen's Road Central, on or before
the 2nd day of July, A.D. 1900.

Shareholders are hereby requested to pay
accordingly.

And Notice is also given that, in accordance
with Article 34 of the Company's Articles of
Association, interest will be charged on the
said 2nd day of July, 1900, at the rate of 3 1/2
percentum per annum, upon all Calls remaining
unpaid on the said day of July, 1900, up to
the actual dates of payment of the same.

By Order of the Board,
A. SHELTON LOOPER,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 28th March, 1900.

UP TO DATE PRACTICAL INVENTION
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OR
AERATING ANY LIQUID WITHOUT DILUTION,
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